FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PERSICO CHARLES J.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RETAIL OPPORTUNITY INVESTMENTS CORP [ ROIC ]									k all app Dired	olicable) ctor	•		Owner
CORP.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2011									Offic belov	er (give title w)		Other below	(specify
8905 TOWNE CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 10 (Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92122				08	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(St	•	(Zip)																
Date				2. Transact	ion	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		unt of ies cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share 05.				05/11/20	5/11/2011 <sup>(1)</sup>				S		5,000	D	\$10.8	\$10.8281		0		T I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per oshare				05/18/20	05/18/2011(1)				S		10,000	D	\$11.0	1.0863		20,139		D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share				01/01/2	)17				A		3,786(3)	A	\$	0	23,925			D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Title of erivative ecurity nstr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise parts. 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		tion Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Expiration Date			Amount of Securities S		Der Sec (Ins	Price of rivative derivative curity Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)		y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The transaction reported on this line is being reported late due to an inadvertent administrative oversight.
- 2. These shares were held by Perco Management Defined Benefit Pension Trust, of which Jules Levy is Trustee and Mr. Persico is the reporting person.
- 3. The reporting person was granted 3,786 shares of restricted Common Stock that were issued pursuant to the Retail Opportunity Investments Corp. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. All of such shares vest on January 1, 2018.

/s/ Charles J. Persico 01/04/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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